

Notification of Loss of Small Entity Status

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THERAPEUTIC USE OF AN ATONA L-
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OSTEOARTHRITIS AND ABNORMAL CELL
PROLIFERATION

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NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS
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Dear Sir:

The patentee hereby notifies the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that the patentee is no longer entitled to claim small entity status for purposes of the payment of maintenance fees for the referenced patent.

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